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Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
REGION IV-A CALABARZON
CITY SCHOOLS DIVISION OF THE CITY OF TAYABAS

23 APRIL 2021

DIVISION MEMORANDUM
No. 154 s. 2021

**REITERATION OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE LOCAL AND NATIONAL
QUINCENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS**

To: OIC-Assistant Schools Division Superintendent
Chief Education Supervisors
Heads, Public Secondary Schools
Heads, Unit/Section
All Others Concerned

1. Pursuant to Executive Order No. 103 entitled "Reconstituting and Strengthening the National Quincentennial Committee, and Amending Executive Order No. 55, s. 2018 for the Purpose" and in reference to Memorandum OUF-2020-2004 from the Office of the Undersecretary for Finance re Conduct of Simultaneous Flag Raising Ceremonies and Participation in the Activities on the Quincentennial D-Day or the National Celebration of the 500th Anniversary of the Battle of Mactan on 27th April 2021 and in Activities up to 2022 and to Memorandum Order NO. 165, s. 2021 re Quincentennial Commemoration Activities in Quezon Province, this office through the Curriculum Implementation Division in partnership with the office of the Administrative Officer V, encourages all concerned to actively participate and implement the proposed commemoration activities as stated in the attached Memoranda starting April 27, 2021 to December 2022.
2. The activity aims to:
 - a. Commemorate the three main events in Philippine History viz., 500th Anniversary of the Introduction of Christianity in the Philippines; 500th Anniversary of the Philippines' part in the First Circumnavigation of the World; and 500th Anniversary of the Victory at Mactan;
 - b. Provide additional knowledge to all SDO personnel (teaching and non-teaching) on the conduct and significance of the celebrations;
 - c. Raise the level of historical/cultural awareness and consciousness of all SDO personnel; and
 - d. Express active support to the Local and National Quincentennial Celebrations;
3. All schools and offices are expected to conduct the suggested activities.



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4. Enclosed are the copies of the Memoranda from the Office of the Undersecretary and Office of the Governor and the Calendar of Activities for your reference.
5. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance of this memorandum is desired.

ANIANG M. OGAYON, CESO V
Schools Division Superintendent

Enc. As stated.



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PROVINCE OF QUEZON



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

MEMORANDUM ORDER NO. 165
Series of 2021

To : Deped-Quezon
Deped-Tayabas City
Deped-Lucena City

Subject : Quincentennial Commemoration Activities in Quezon Province

Date : 14 April 2021

In commemoration with the 500th Anniversary of the role of the Philippines in the first circumnavigation of the world, His Excellency Rodrigo Roa Duterte issued Executive Order No. 103 entitled "Reconstituting and Strengthening the National Quincentennial Committee, and Amending ¹Executive Order No. 55, s.2018 for the Purpose".

Pursuant thereto, the undersigned issued Executive Order No. 5, s. 2021 entitled, "An Order Creating the Quincentennial Committee for the Province of Quezon", which will take the lead in formulating and implementing commemoration activities in the Province as well as the coordination with the National Quincentennial Committee.

In view hereof, you are hereby directed to actively participate and implement the proposed commemoration activities prepared by the Quezon Quincentennial Committee.

Attached hereto is the Calendar of Activities for your guidance and information. In case of needed information, coordination and clarifications, you may call the Provincial Tourism Office at **(042) 373-7510**.

For your information and strict compliance.

DANILO E. SUAREZ
Governor

¹Executive Order s. 2018, "An Order Creating the National Quincentennial Committee"





The Provincial Government of Quezon

joins the nation in the



Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines

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CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

APRIL- OCTOBER 2021

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30 March 2021

HON. DANILO E. SUAREZ
Governor
Quezon Province

Thru: ENGR. ROWELL Q. RADOVAN
Executive Assistant I
Office of the Governor

Dear **HON. SUAREZ:**

Greetings!

Respectfully sending you hereunder copy of list of activities for the province in-line with the Quincentennial Celebration or the 500th Quincentennial Commemoration as approved by the committee for your information and guidance. Please find herewith:



**Quincentennial
Commemorations
in the Philippines**
Victory and Humanity - 1521-2021

Based on Executive Order No. 103 by the President of the Philippines, all National and Local Government units are enjoined to commemorate the 500th Anniversary of the role of the Philippines in the first circumnavigation of the world, the victory of Lapulapu in the Battle of Mactan - otherwise known as The 2021 Quincentennial Commemoration in the Philippines (2021 QCP).

The Provincial Government of Quezon joins this historical undertaking through the following events as approved by the Quezon Quincentennial Commemoration in the Philippines Committee.

Schedule of Events

April 5	Media Briefing local broadcast and print media
April 14-16	Saysay Ng Pagdaong At Pagkakanlong Sa Baybay Dagat A National Conference On Quincentennial Commemorations
April 20-27	National Flag Days
April 27	Simultaneous Flag Raising Provincial Government, LGUs and Educational 8:00 AM Blue Light illumination of Quezon Provincial Capitol 6:00 PM
May 10	Online Quiz Bee Elementary Pupils from public/private schools
May 11	Digital Poster Making (Virtual) Senior high school and college students from private/public schools
May 12	Oratorical Contest (Virtual) Junior or Senior high school students
May 13	Talumpati (Virtual) Junior high school students
May 14	Dance with A Poem (Virtual) A combination of Dance movements and Poem for College
May 30	Gawad Quincentenario
August	BAYBAYIN online workshop/seminar A discussion and learning opportunity about ancient Filipino form of writings
August	Online Art Exhibit Oldest picture
September	Online Art Exhibit Memorabilia and Others
Aug. /Sept/ Oct.	Online Concert (Non-competition) Dance performances, Rondalla, Theatre and Choir Recitals

Thank you.

Respectfully yours,

ALBERTO S. BAY, JR.

Acting Head – Tourism Office

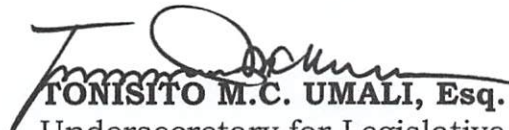


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Office of the Undersecretary for Finance

MEMORANDUM
OUF-2021-0204

FOR : **Undersecretaries**
Assistant Secretaries
Bureau and Service Directors
Regional Directors
Schools Division Superintendents
Assistant Schools Division Superintendents
School Heads and Teachers
All Others Concerned

FROM : 
ANNALYN M. SEVILLA
Undersecretary for Finance


TONISITO M.C. UMALI, Esq.
Undersecretary for Legislative Affairs, External
Partnerships, and Project Management Service

SUBJECT : **CONDUCT OF SIMULTANEOUS FLAG RAISING**
CEREMONIES AND PARTICIPATION IN THE ACTIVITIES
ON THE QUINCENTENNIAL D-DAY OR THE NATIONAL
CELEBRATION OF THE 500TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
BATTLE AT MACTAN ON 27 APRIL 2021 AND IN
ACTIVITIES UP TO 2022

DATE : 15 March 2021

1. Executive Secretary Salvador C. Medialdea issued a memorandum on December 21, 2020 enjoining the participation of all national government agencies and instrumentalities in the preparation and celebration of the 2021 Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines (2021 QCP).
2. The Quincentennial D-Day of the national celebration of the 500th anniversary of the victory of Lapulapu at the Battle of Mactan will be on April 27, 2021.
3. On D-Day, there will be a nationwide simultaneous flag raising and wreath laying ceremonies in public plazas and monuments in various sites, at



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8:00am, to be led by the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) and the Presidential Communications Operations Office (PCOO), where President Rodrigo R. Duterte and other government dignitaries and officials will be in attendance.

4. To participate in the event and to demonstrate the value of unity, the DepEd central office (CO), regional offices (ROs), school division offices (SDOs), and schools are enjoined to conduct simultaneous flag raising ceremonies in the offices and schools on the same date and time. Flowers or wreaths may also be offered at the pedestals of monuments of national heroes put up within the school premises, if any. Documentation of the flag ceremony is enjoined. Regional Offices through the Araling Panlipunan Supervisors shall select and submit three (3) documented Flag Ceremonies (RO, 1 DO, 1 school) to the External Partnerships Service – Special Events Unit (EPS-SEU) via spapo2012@gmail.com which in turn will select and submit to the National Quincentennial Committee (NQC) for posting on the official NQC Facebook page.
5. Only the skeletal work force of DepEd Offices and schools shall participate in the simultaneous flag raising ceremonies in strict observance of IATF guidelines in public gatherings to mitigate the spread of the corona virus. Those who are working from home are encouraged to participate in the simultaneous flag raising ceremony by watching the live coverage of the flag ceremony led by the DILG and PCOO.
6. The Philippine Flag shall be hung and displayed in all DepEd offices and schools for the period April 20 -27, 2021.
7. Everybody is encouraged to watch the following activities on D-Day which shall be on live coverage by various TV networks.
 - a) Groundbreaking of the Lapulapu Memorial Shrine and Museum, Historical Markers Unveiling, and Military Honors to Lapulapu at the Liberty Shrine in Mactan, Lapulapu City at 8:00am.
 - b) Nationwide Quincentennial Landmark Lightings (Blue) in various sites at 7:00pm.
 - c) Quincentennial D-Day Evening Show at the Metropolitan Theater, Manila, and at the Liberty Shrine in Mactan, Lapulapu City at 6:00 – 8:30pm.
 - d) Inauguration of the Newly Restored Metropolitan Theater (Part of the Evening Show) Metropolitan Theater, Manila, 7:00pm
 - e) Drone Show (Part of the Evening Show) Liberty Shrine, Mactan, Lapulapu City, 8:00pm
 - f) Fireworks Display (Part of the Evening Show) Over Marcelo Fernan Bridge and Mactan Strait, Lapulapu City, 8:00pm
 - g) Illumination of the Cebu-Cordova Link Expressway (Part of the Evening Show) Cebu South Road Property Side, Cebu City, 8:00pm.



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8. Supervisors and teachers, especially in Araling Panlipunan and Edukasyon sa Pagpapakatao, are encouraged to: (a) continue to conduct online activities from 2021 to 2022 that retell the heroism, gallantry, and nobleness of various historical figures in history, especially the local heroes and eminent people the locality has produced; (b) honor the modern-day exceptional examples of greatness and compassion; (c) celebrate the overseas Filipino workers; and (d) highlight our achievement as a people in science, arts and culture, and in various fields.
9. The NQC has an Online Lecture Portal that can be accessed through the internet. The portal offers several lectures about Philippine History and Culture by several professors and scholars from Philippine top universities such as the University of the Philippines, Ateneo de Manila University, De La Salle University and others. Registration is free. Certificates are issued upon completion of most of the lectures. All DepEd educators are encouraged to participate in the lectures for updates and additional knowledge.
10. For more information, please contact **Mr. Steven Daniel Arevalo**, Senior Administrative Assistant III, at e-mail address sdarevalo@deped.gov.ph or **Mr. Romeo B. Parayno/ Ms. Anna Liza Awa** (romeo.parayno@deped.gov.ph / anna.awa002@deped.gov.ph), External Partnerships Service-Special Events Unit (EPS-SEU), Ground Floor, Mabini Building, Department of Education Central Office, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City through telephone nos. (02) 8637-5832, (02) 8637-5834 or mobile phone nos. 0922-463-6626, 0995-911-0429, 0929-598-9089 and 0917-460-4388.
11. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.